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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Wai-Hon Lee

Application No.: 10/802,669

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For: OPTICAL POSITION ENCODER
DEVICE

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Examiner: Brian J. Livedalen

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed September 15, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.